HE TOOK TO HIS HEELS

The Outcome of a Duel Between Cuban Editors.

A BAPTIST MINISTER IN IT

Was the Innocent Cause of the Fight The Affair Created a Great Stir in Clenfuegos and Surrounding Country.

In a letter to the Religious Herald, of this city, the Rov. C. D. Daniel, a well-known Baptist minister in Cuba, working under the Home Mission Board, gives a most enterthining account of a disturbance in Clenfuegos and a duel, precipitated, although innocently, by a missionary well known in the denomination. Mr. Daniel is writing of the work of the Rev. Mr. C'Halloran, a mixture of Irish and Spanish blood, born in Cuba, but an ardent Baptist, enrolled in the service of the board, of which Dr. F. C. McConnell, formerly of Lynchburg, is the secretary, Mr. O'Halloran, the "Crilicat" O'Halloran, as Mr. Daniel calls him, is a vivalous personage, with a very gilb tongue, and the way he preaches at the Cubans is something wonderful. "If he could attract attention in no other way," says the writer, "he would stand on his head and kick at the stars, and preach to them during the performance, He keeps everything about him on the move."

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A short time ago Mr. C'Halloran was the innocent cause of quite a little disturbange. The story is best told in the language of Mr. Daniel:

"Recently he had the entire city of Cienfuegos wrought up to the highest state of excitement, which resulted in a duel being fought, one man coming mear losing his life. It happened thusly: He had given an entertainment for the children of his school, which consisted of speeches, recitations, refreshments, etc. He had invited the editors of his city, and through curiosity several attended. One of the editors became so much enthised over what he termed a most brilliant affair that he proceeded to fill his paper the next day with a glowing account of O'Halloran's work and the spiendid entertainment. Another editor, a fanatical Roman Catholic, did not enjoy such puffing of the Baptist preacher, hence replied to the write-up in a most ludicrous and brutal manner, accusing O'Halloran of serving whiskey at the entertainment, and that editor number one was under the influence of bad Baptist whiskey when he wrote the glowing account of the affair. Number one became very much incensed, and challenged number two to fight a duel with swords. The challenge was accepted and the duel fought, and number two took to his heels and saved his life in noble flight. Thus the unforturfate affair apparently ended, but it had created a hot time in the old town, which increased the congregation very considerably. Editor number three attended church to see what manner of man O'Halloran was. The Holy Spirit opened his heart, and he has been converted and recently buried in baptism with Christ.

"O'Halloran was in no way responsible for the duel, except that it came up over his school. But some of the more dignified of the "freethering" did not appreciate such a stir, and, raising their hands in holy horror, declared that O'Halloran had disgraced the cause. There be some preacher

HENRICO NOTES

Man Wants to Locate His Uncle-Dr Smith Better.

letter has been received in the clerk' A letter has been received in the clerk's office of the Henrico County Court from Mr. James A. Dillon, of Grubbs, Jackson county, Arkansas, making inquiries about the whereabouts of his uncle, Mr. Sidney Dillon. The man was at a place somewhere near Richmond when last heard from. The writer says he lost track of his uncle several years ago, but heard from him in 1000, though not since then. He is now anxious to get communication with him.

Dr. Hugh Smith, who was painfully injured a short while ago, is much bet-ler, and hopos to be out again very

A marriage license was issued yester-ay to Mr. Charles H. Deanes, a machinist of the county, and Miss Minnie V. Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson, of Henrico.

The Overseers of the Poor met yester-day in regular quarterly session. Only the regular routine business was trans-

At the Theatres.

i como Ongarros. The Bostonians' Opera Company will ar-rive here this morning by special train composed of six cars. The entire com-pany, which includes the principals. pany, which includes the principals, chorus, ballet, the Bostonians' special orchestra, carpenters, electricians, wirdsher a hundred people, requiring two Pullmans, one big day coach and three baggage cars. The Bostonions is the biggest opera organization touring the country. This is the thirteenth year with "Robin Hood." In the company will be found four of the original principals, H. C. Barnabee and W. H. MacDonald, proprietors of the Bostonians, and Josephilo Bartlett and George B. Frothingham Neither one has played his or her individual part in "Robin Hood" less than 1,600 times, and they are cast for the same identical roles in the de Koyen Smith sequel to "Robin Hood" entitled "Maid Marian." With the Bostonians and The sport was so much enjoyed that this season is Grace van Studdiford, unfoubtedly the finest prima donna now touring the country. Other principals of the famous company are Cilve C. Moore, Howard Chambers, George B. Frothing-Howard Chambers, George B. Frothingsham the famous company are contact the famous company are content of the lambs, decision of the famous company are content of the sport was the introduction of the onvel feature of a ladies' cheese roll. While only four of the after-following among the other ladies, and reliable only four of the famous the four the four the four the following among the other ladies, and reliable only four of the famous the four the fou

GROCERS SELL IT.

ham, Campbell Donald, John J. Martin, W. M. Dorrington, Harold Gordon, Willing E. Weeden, Alice Judson, Maud Leekley, Sain Dudley, J. Welbley, Floronce Guinn, James E. Miller, Harry Date, etc. The Bostonians will present the de Koven-Smith cornic opera, "Robin Hood," to-night at the Academy of Music.

The Fawcett Company will play at the Bijou to-night for the benefit of the Confederate Home for Needy Women. Manager Makoo and Manager Fawcett decided to give the entire, proceeds of the performance to-night to help along the good cause, which has been kept so prominently before the public during the past two weeks.

The presentation of "Siberia," the fa-mous melo-drama, has struck a popular chord in the public appreciation and the play is given to crowded houses at every porformance.

That popular play of the sunny South,
"On the Suwance River," will hold the stage of the Bliou Theatre the week opening Monday, March 30th, with mall-nees Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

MAY HAVE BEEN SHOT

Physician Has Some Doubt Regarding

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Young America Bertucci.
There is a slight doubt in the mind of Dr. Trovillian, house surgeon at the City Hospital, as to whether America Bertucci, the young woman who is supposed to have attempted suicide early Wednesday morning, shot herself. He is inclined to believe that the deed was perpetrated by some person unknown.
"The failure of an incentive to be shown, and the absence of powder burns upon the face and body of the young lady," said the physician, "make it rather a strange case."

Dr. Trevillian admitted that either of the wounds could have been inflicted by the woman, and the motive for the deed has been explained by her in a statement in which she says she simply desired to die, having tirod of life.

Property Transfers.

FORM CLOSER CORPORATION

Steel Trust Companies File Papers of Merger.

IS FOR SAKE OF ECONOMY

This Explanation Given by Elbert H Gary, Chairman of Board of Directors-Said That Sub-Divisions Are to Be Abolished.

TRENTO, N. J., March 26.—Articles of merger were filed in the office of Secretary of State to-day merging the American Steel Hoop Company, National Steel Company and the Carnegie Com-pany. The merged corporation is to be known as the National Steel Company, with a capitalization of \$63,000,000. The combined capital of the old companies amounted to \$252,000,000.

By this merger the new corporation will save over \$7,000 each year in fces

paid to the State of New Jersey. The directors of the new corporation are W. E. Corey, C. M. Schwab, E. H. Gary, W. W. Blackburn and Thomas

The officers of the company are W. E. Corey, president; W. W. Blackburn, secretary and treasurer; W. C. MacAus-



Two other physicians are near the sick man. Do Solution of puzzle in yesterday's Times-Dispatch: Her mother's profile is formed by her arm and hand.

Drug Firm Chartered,

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In the City Circuit Court yesterday a new drug firm was granted a charter under the name of T. A. Miller, incorporated. The capital stock will not be under \$25,000. The officers are T. A. Miller, president; Jackson Miller, vice-president; J. KW. Smither, secretary and treasurer.

A mistrial resulted in the case of the Commonwealth against Elvira Wallace, who is charged with having smuggled a saw into the old temporary jail, which

LADIES ROLL CHEESE AT ITALIAN CLUB

Novel Feature for Fair Sex Was Introduced Yes-

terday.

A large growd, including many ladies, were at the Italian Country Club yester-day afternoon.

Dr. V. C. Price

DR. PRICE'S

MACDONALD'S BODY

General Sir Hector Macdonald, who committed suicide at the Hotel Regina here ytsterday, was removed to-day to the British Mortuary Chapel, where it will British Mortuary Chapel, where it will awalt shipment to its final resting place in Scotland. It was said at the British Embassy that no orders have been received from London concerning the disposition of the body, and it is expected that the family of the deceased general will make the final arrangements. Both the officials of the British Embassy and the Consulate-General of Great Britain disclaim any knowledge of the existence of the letters which were reported to have been found in a table in the room where the general killed himself. Mr.

north side Orace Street, 57 feet west of Meadow, \$2,250,
Otway S. Allen and wife to Peter Winston, 231-2 feet on north side Grace Street, 114 feet west of Meadow, \$1,425.
R. B. Bowe and wife to V. M. Habilston, 75 feet on north side Franklin Street, 214 feet east of Meadow, \$5.
C. L. Harward and wife to James R. Holmes, 201-12 feet on south side Leigh Street, southeast corner Harrison, \$1,000.
Richmond Realty and Development Company to L. C. Jenkins, 40 feet on east side Fifth Street, 123 4-12 feet south of Main, \$300.
Henry S. Wallerstein and wife, James D. Carneal and wife and Sara E. Ullman to Lucy B. Palmer, 131 6-12 feet on east side Elm Street, \$2,104. newly-incorporated National Company, says that the question of merging all or some of the other constituent companies, has not yet been considered. The merger of the companies as reported today, he adds, was decided upon some months ago, and was made solely for the purpose of promoting economical administration. The outstanding shares of stock of the three merging companies, preferred or common, are to be exchangeable or convertible into stock of the consolidated corporation at the rate of one quarter share of stock of the consolidated corporation for every share of stock of the merging company.

BECOME OPERATING AS WELL AS STOCKHOLDING

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURG, PA., March 26.—The only
explanation offered in Pittsburg for the filing of articles of merger at Trenton to-day by subsidiary companies of the to-day by subsidiary companies of the United States Steel Corporation is that the latter is about to carry out its plan of merging all of its constituent companies, practically abolishing the subdivisions of the general corporation, and having the parent concern become the operating as well as the stockholding concern. This plan will do away with the individual organizations, while a tremendous saving in capitalization tax will follow.

At present the United States Steel Corporation pays a tax in New Jersey on its general capital, while each of the underlying companies pays a tax on its individual capital. In other words, the corporation is paying taxes twice on its capitalization.

The officers of the corporations are all old officials of the Carnegle Company.

President Schwab, of the United States Steel Corporation, arrived in Pittsburg to-ay, it is said his visit is a business one, and that he will be here for several days. His arrival revived rumors of proposed merging of independent steel interests into the corporation, but he refused to say anything in reference to the reports in circulation. United States Steel Corporation is that

TO REST IN SCOTLAND

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, March 26.—The body of Major-

Inglis, the British Consul-General, said to the Associate Los correspondent:
"I have been personally assured by the commissary of police that no such letters have been found."

SECRETARY ROOT GETS **NEWS FROM SURIGAO**

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Secretary Root hag received a dispatch from Governor Taff stating that all is quiet at Surigao. Assistant Chief Taylor reports to Governor Taft that the affair can have no general political significance, as the leaders were jailbirds and dishonorably discharged constabularies. No active members of the constabulary were implicated. He says Clark attacked the band alone and was cut down at once, no one else being injured.

BODY IN THE CANAL

Remains of a Negro That Had Evidently

Remains of a Negro That Had Evidently
Been There for Wasks.
The decomposed body of an unknown
negro was found in the canal at the fivemile locks yesterday by Mr. Tibbs, who
communicated his discovery to Coroner
Lorrimor James, of Henrico.
Dr. James held an inquest and found
that the man had been in the canal probably for several weeks. There was notling to identify him nor to determine the
manner of his death. A package of here
was the only thing found on the body,
It was buried by the overser of the poor.

BROADUS-MEMORIAL

Interesting Services to Be Held This Afternoon and To-Night.

Atternoon and 10 right.
At Broadus-Memorial Church last night.
Rev. C. C. Coleman spoke to a very large congregation, and his sermon was heard with deep interest.
His subject this afternoon at 3:30 oclock will be "The Power of Prayer," and "The Final Judgment."

Chestnut Hill and Highland Park

Y., who has been visiting his parents on Third Avenue, has accepted a position at the Richmond Locomotive Works and will make Chestnut Hill his home in the

will make Chestnut Hill his home in the future.

Miss Jeannette Quaries, of Hanover county, is the guest of Miss Evelyn Weaver, on Fourth Avenue.

Mrs. Fox, who has been quite sick at her home on Fourth Avenue, is able to be out again.

Master Robert Todd entertained a few of his friends at a birthday party Tuesday evening at his home on Fourth Avenue. At the close of the evening delicious refreshments were served in abundance.

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Mrs. Lolia Smither, of Ashiand, is the guest of Mrs. Charles W. Wingfield, of Highland Park.

Last week a colored woman was going around on the Hill seliciting washing. She cialmed to live in Richmond on North First Street. She succeeded in obtaining some clothing from one party, valued at \$10. The clothing has not been returned, nor can they got any clue as to the whereabouts of the woman, for she does not live at the place stated.

Miss Volca Cleaton, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fleming, of Fourth Avenue, has returned to her home in South Carolina.

Master Archie Trent, of Highland Park, has been quite sick, but is now improving.

ing.
Some unknown person found an infant floating in a well on the lot once used by the Magnolia Laundry, which was destroyed by fire some time ago. Officer R. D. Haller is working up the case. Mr. Otway Allen Shafer, who recently returned from Washington, has accepted a position in Richmond.
Miss Etna Kelly, of Third Avenue, is visiting her friend, Mrs. J. C. White, of Ashland.
Mrs. William F. Woods of Third Avenue.

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Mrs. William F. Woods, of Third Avenue and Juniper Street, is visiting friends on Church Hill.

Miss Anna Broom, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mitchell, of Highland Park, is quite sick.

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Miss Helen Briggs, who has been vis-iting relatives in Newport News, has

returned home.

Mrs. George A. Minor has left to attend the funeral of her brother, Judge Prince, of Courtland, Southampton county, Miss Jennie Culien left Wednesday for Danville.

The "Dixle Concert" takes place at the Parish Hall to-night. There will be music and recitations by the best city talent.

Services will be held at the Epiphany Episcopal Church this afternoon at 4:30, conducted by the rector, Rev. C. R.

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Kuyk.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cole expect to leave
next week for Kentucky.

Miss Mary Smith, of Chostnut Hill, is
visiting friends on the Heights.

The Golden Horseshee Club will meet
at the home of Miss Ada Scott on Virginia Avenue this afternoon at 4:30.

The Epiphany Episcopal choir will rehearse at the home of Miss Alma Saunders Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Miss Holen Crouch, who has been quite
sick at her home, is now able to be out
again.

Mr. M. F. Jones has returned from
a business trip.

Mr. W. C. Crenshaw has returned from
a business trip.

Gregory McTyre is quite sick at his
home on Miller Avenue.

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Mr. Frank B. Carpenter has returned from a business trip to Cuba.

The C. M. A. Club met yesterday evening at the home of Mr. Overton Woodward and appointed its officers. Overton Woodward, president; Virginius Croxton, vice-president, and Buford Rose, secretary and treasurer.

Mr. W. E. Luck, of Bedford, is visiting at the home of Mr. A. W. Robbins. Mr. W. D. Peyton has left for Predericksburg to visit his father, and from there will leave for Newark, N. J., and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gary, of Washington, are the geusts of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kidwell.

Mrs. De Witt, of Luray, is visiting on Chamberlain Avenue.

Miss Ressle Collins, who has been visiting her cousin on Luck Avenue, has returned to Chester.

Mr. Campbell is quite sick at his home near the Seminary.

Mrs. Snider, who has been quite sick at her home, is improving.

Miss Harrelson, of Suffelk, is visiting her sister on York Street.

Miss Annie Glover, of Maryland, is here on a visit to her sister.

Rev. Mr. Johannon, of the Union The-

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ological Seminary, will deliver a lecture on "Missions" Sunday at 11 A. M. at the Methodist Church.

Miss Mary Smith, of Brookland Park, who has been very sick, is able to resume her studies.

The Eppworth League will have its next business meeting the second Tuesday in April at the home of Miss Jennie Culien. All the members are requested to attend.

Fairmount News

Mr. E. M. Higginbotham, who recently moved from Lynchburg, is ill at his home on Twenty-fourth Street.

At the business meeting of the Epworth League Wednesday night steps were taken to raise \$150 for the Methodist

Grove Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., is making preparations for a great time at their anniversary calebration next week of Mr. Frank Sherman, is quite ill at her father's home, No. 2004 Fairmount her father's home, No. 2004 Fairmount Avenue, Mr. Sherman has recenty lost his wife and his housekeeper, Mrs. Moon.
Mrs. Violet Miller died at the home of her husband, Willie O. Miller, No. 1313 Twonty-third Street, at a quarter to five o'clock Thursday morning, in the twenty-saventh year of her age. Mrs. Miller leaves her husband, one child, little Grace Lee, two sistors, Mrs. Mary Miller; of Fairmount; Mrs. Gilliam D. Laneare, of Crewe, Va.; one brother, Thos. Wheary Calhoun, and her father, A. N. Calhoun, of Nottoway county, Va. Her remains will be taken to Nottoway county, Va., on the 7 o'clock train Saturday morning for burial in the family burying ground.
She was a loving, faithful wife, devoted mother, tend sister, dutiful and obadient daughter.

COMPANY FINED ABOUT TRANSFERS

Justice John Placed the Amount at \$25-Police Court Notes.

Through the misapprehension on the and Power Company, passengers on the suburban branches who take cars inside the city limits, have been refused transfers to the Traction line. General Manager Huff and Counsel A. B. Gulgon, for the company, were in the Police Court yesterday morning on such a charge, yesterday morning on such a charge,
They stated that it was simply a misapprehension, and that it was the intention of the company to give transfers
to all lines where passengers took the
cars inside the city limits. The case
was proved, and in view of the circumstances Justice Crutchfield imposed the
minimum fine of \$25, although there were
three other similar charges.

The proposed schedule prepared by the
company provides for the giving of
transfers from all suburban lines to city
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Glies Headen (colored) paid \$25 for cutting Calvin Hicks.

William Bland (colored) was dismissed of the charge of holding up Peter J. Hall and taking \$5 from him.

Blaine Edwards was charged with cutting John King, and the hearing will be held on the Bist.

R. L. McCormick and Charles McDonough were given to the 4th of April to disproye the charge of being suspicious characters.

James T. Jones was sent down for twenty days to sober up. Jeanneste Lewis (colored) was charged \$25.00 for peing disorderly on the street.

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Downtown Stores, 1820-1822 East Main Street. Uptown Store, 506 East Marshall Street.

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J. N. Sadler was fined \$50 for carrying concealed weapons.

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C. C. Popponheim, of Charleston, 25.

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Good Green or Mixed Tes, pound. 25C.
Enameline, box 4c.
Carolina Rice, per pound. 5C.
Best Tea Dust, pound. 20C.

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